



The Race for Education, Inc.
Lexington, Kentucky

Project Title	The Race for Education, Inc. IDA Program
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AFI Grant Amount	\$164,706
Nonfederal Support	\$200,243
Project Period	February 1, 2006 - January 31, 2011
Highlights	Race for Education will offer IDAs and supportive services to 70 low-income students across the country who are currently involved in the horse industry or are interested in the industry. To participate in the IDA program, students must first be selected for the Race for Education's scholarship program. Selected students who also meet AFI eligibility standards may then opt to save in an education IDA, where each \$1 saved will be matched by \$8. The program features a self-study financial education course specially developed in cooperation with the University of Kentucky Cooperative Extension Services.
Target Population	Low-income students involved in the horse industry; nationwide.
Grantee/Collaborative Description	Race for Education is a national scholarship organization founded in 2002 to provide tuition assistance to low-income young people interested in the horse industry. The organization has extensive involvement by a range of organizations related to horse racing. Fifth Third Bank of Lexington is the financial institution partner.